

To mr. Powell and the rest of the FCC board.

It is totally unlawful, undemocratic, un-American to lift the ban on "cross ownership". "Cross-ownership" would create an atmosphere of acceptable monopolies. The united states of America was fighting against Monopolies, in the late eighteen hundreds and early nineteen hundreds. Currently the U.S. is engaged in talks whether or not to brake up the microsoft conglomerate. America is a place with a multitude of ideas, all of which rally around the idea of civil liberties and democracy. There is nothing more detrimental to the free flowing of ideas and information then "cross-ownership". If the ban is lifted information and ideas will become monopolies-ed, that is would be undemocratic and there for un-American.

thank you for your time.

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